

REMARKS

Applicants wish to thank the Examiner for considering the present application. In the Office Action dated July 19, 2004, claims 1-21 are pending in the application. Claims 1-21 are provisionally rejected under the doctrine of provisional obviousness-type double patenting over claims 1-39 of co-pending U.S. patent application 10/605,842.

A Terminal disclaimer is enclosed herewith as to the aforementioned patent application.

In light of the above remarks, applicants submit that all rejections are now overcome and the application is now in condition for allowance and expeditious notice thereof is earnestly solicited. Should the Examiner have any questions or comments which would place the application in better condition for allowance, he is respectfully requested to call the undersigned attorney.

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